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THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1888.

Queen's Birthday

VICTORIA, B. C.

MORNING SPORTS AT BEACON HILL.

INTERNATIONAL BASE BALL MATCH, between The Browns of Seattle and The Amities of Victoria, to commence at 9 a. m.
LACROSSE MATCH, between the Vancouver Team and the Victorians, at 10 a. m.

SAILING MATCH

For Boats under 6 tons. Entrance free.

1st Prize, Silver Cup, presented by Superintendent Roycraft. 2nd Prize, $15.00.
Course 8 miles. Start at 10.30. From Outer Wharf pass Brotchie Ledge buoy on the right, around floating spar in front of Rifle range at Royal Roads and return by same course. Time under 2½ hours or no race. Winner will allow time measurement according to Royal Yacht Sailing Rules. Owners will please send the names of their boats to Superintendent Roycraft not later than Monday next.

HORSE RACES, under Bay State Rules.

1st RACE—Flat Race, in heats, best two in three. Open to all comers. Entrance $15.00. Distance 1 mile. Prize $150.00, with Entrance Money added. 2nd Horse to save his Stake. To start at 10.30 prompt.
2nd RACE—A Trotting Match in Sulky's, in heats, best two in three. Distance 1 mile. Entrance Fee $15.00. Prize $150.00, with Entrance Money added. 2nd to save his Stake.
All Entries to be made at George Thompson's, Fort street, not later than Monday, the 21st, at 8 o'clock, p. m.

—AFTERNOON SPORTS:—

GRAND -:- REGATTA

Will take place on the Victoria Arm, commencing at 2 o'clock, when the following Programme will be carried out:

1. Naval Skiff Race, 2 p.m. 1st, $10.00—2nd, $5.
2. Double Outrigger Skiffs, 2:30 p.m. 1st, $30.00—2nd, $15.00. Entrance, $1.00.
3. Canoe Race, Indians, 2:45 p.m. $2.00 per paddle, not to exceed 13.
4. Four-oared Race, for Boys under 15, 3 p. m. 1st, $20.00. 2nd, 10.00.
5. Naval Cutter Race, 3:20 p. m. 1st, $20.00. 2nd, $10.00.
6. Shell Race, single sculls, 3:45 p.m. 1st, $25.00 2nd, $15.00. Entrance, $1.00.
7. Canoe Race for Klootchmen, 4 p. m. $2.00 per paddle, not to exceed 6.
8. Single Outrigged Skiffs, 4:30 p.m. 1st, $30.00. 2nd, $15.00. Entrance, $1.00.
9. Naval Race, whalers and gigs, 4:45 p. m. 1st, $20.00. 2nd, $10.00.
10. Swimming Match, 5 p.m. $10.00.
11. Greasy Pole, 5:15 p.m. $10.00.

All entries to the Boat Races to be handed in to the Treasurer Mr. Russell, at the City Hall, on or before Monday, 21st, not later than 9 p. m. Music will be discoursed at Beacon Hill in the Morning and up the Arm in the Afternoon.
Excursions will be run from Tacoma, Seattle, Port Townsend, Nanaimo, Vancouver and Westminster, for Single Fares the Round Trip.

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—ON—

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SATURDAY, MAY 19th.

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On the above date Return Tickets to Shawnigan Lake will be sold at all points on the line, good for return same day, for a

SINGLE FARE!

Trains, stopping at all Stations, will run as under:

Leave Victoria,	8.20 a.m.	12.50 p.m.
Russell's,	8.24 "	12.54 "
Esquimalt,	8.34 "	1.04 "
Goldstream,	9.01 "	1.31 "
Arrive Shawnigan Lake,	8.56 "	2.30 "

Leave Wellington,	7.32 a.m.
Nanaimo,	7.56 "
Chemainus,	8.58 "
Somenos,	9.24 "
Duncan's,	8.34 "
Koksilah,	9.39 "
McPherson's,	9.51 "
Cobble Hill,	10.08 "
Arrive Shawnigan Lake,	10.20 "

—RETURNING—

Will leave Shawnigan Lake for Wellington and way points at 5.06 p.m.; for Victoria and way points, 5.26 p.m. my13-td

Grand Excursion

Queen's Birthday

THURSDAY, 24TH INSTANT.

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Under the Auspices of the United Temperance Bodies of Victoria,

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Round Trip Tickets - Adults, 75 Cents, Children, 50 Cents.

Trains will leave E. & N. Ry. Depot, 9:30 A.M., 11:30 A.M., 1.30 P.M. Returning—leave Grounds 6:30 P.M. and 7:30 P.M. my3-td

CONVERSAZIONE.

The Ladies of the Reformed Church will give a Conversazione at Humboldt Street Hall,

On TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 22,

Refreshments will be provided. Entrance fee as usual. mar28

NOTICE.

Paine and Ball Boat Race,

SHAWNIGAN LAKE,

Saturday next, the 19th Inst.

The undersigned hereby notifies the public that upon the occasion named above he has granted the exclusive right to furnish Meals, **Ice Cream, Candy**, Fruit, Cakes, tarts, etc., etc., to the **SCOTCH BAKERY**. Meals will be served in the Mammoth Dancing Pavilion, which will give ample space for the very large number of visitors to dine in comfort.
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CANADIAN NEWS.

An Incendiary Fire Consumes Two Children.

A Missing Veterinary Surgeon Found in Toronto Bay---Murder Suspected.

Another Produce Dealer Skips From Montreal —Drowning Accident at Picton—Meigs Election to be Contested.

The Quebec Legislature.

QUEBEC, May 17.—The legislature sat only a few minutes this afternoon, the debate on the inter-provincial resolution being postponed until Monday.

A Serious Matter to the Telegraph Co.

MONTREAL, May 17.—Owing to the passage of the bucket shop bill these places have given notice to the telegraph companies of their intention to cease using their wires. As a result the Montreal Telegraph Co. declined on the stock market to-day, as this means a loss of twenty to thirty thousand dollars to this company alone.

Departed for the Colony.

Another produce merchant has left the city and gone to Colorado. The creditors are few and of small amounts.

Meigs Election Contested.

The election of Meigs, Missisiquoi, has been contested, and the conservatives are confident he will be unseated.

Married on Monday—in Gaol Thursday.

Georgiana Le May, a young woman, aged 30, who was married on Monday was arrested this morning for stealing $31 by forging a bank receipt. It was the shortest honeymoon on record.

Found in the Bay—Supposed Murder.

TORONTO, May 17.—Joseph Graham, a veterinary student, disappeared mysteriously a month ago. This morning his body was found floating in the bay. Graham belonged to Manchester village, Ontario county, and was supposed, after graduating at the veterinary college, to have left here and commenced practice at Battle Creek, Michigan. It is rumored that several thousand dollars were in his possession when last seen alive in the Revere House on the 16th April. Foul play is suspected. Only $535 and a ticket to Winnipeg were found in deceased's pockets. He was a married man, and his wife and child are living with his father in Manchester village.

The Diamond.

LONDON, Ont., May 17.—London, 2; Rochester, 2; called at end of ninth innings.

Upset and Drowned.

PICTON, Ont., May 17.—Fred. Bull, agent of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. here, was drowned by his canoe upsetting.

Two Children Burned in a Fire.

WINDSOR, Ont., May 17.—On Monday night a man named Edmunds, of Sandwich West, went to a colored church in Windsor and left four children home in bed. About 10 o'clock the eldest child, a girl of nine years of age, was awakened by a burning piece of timber on the bed. She immediately took the baby in her arms and ran to a neighbor's house for help. When she got back to the house the fire had gained such headway that it was impossible to reach the other children. Two boys were roasted alive. The parents could see the house burning at a distance, but did not think the little ones were in danger. When the parents left the house the fire in the stove was not burning and the lamps not lighted. The fire is supposed to have been the work of incendiary.

HOTEL VANCOUVER.

The New C. P. R. Hotel to be Opened on the 1st June—Brief Description of Its Appointments.

Hotel Vancouver, the hotel built by the Canadian Pacific Railway at their terminus on Burrard Inlet, will be opened for the reception of guests on the 1st of June next. Manager Matthews has been hard at work with a staff of men for the past couple of weeks receiving the furniture and equipment of the hotel and placing them in position. The bedroom furniture is all of antique ash and cherry, and is of handsome and substantial appearance. The china, crockery and glassware was specially made for the house, and is chaste and lovely in design. The parlor, dining-room, hall and general furniture is all of a handsome and costly nature. The building is situated on the corner of Georgia and Granville streets facing the Burard Inlet mountains, and commands in every direction a magnificent panorama of grandeur and loveliness. The style of achitecture is Queen Anne, of which there are numerous evidences in the residences already erected in the city, prominent among the latter being that of Supt. Abbott and Mr. A. G. Ferguson. The outside appearance is of not particular pleasing character, the windows being small, and there is an almost general absence of ornament. A wide series of steps reach the main entrance on Georgia street, which opens into the office, the most attractive feature of the whole structure, though the dining-room is roomy and well-lighted. The office is firnished in native cedar and curly maple, the latter wood polished as smooth as glass and very handsome. One is almost immediately struck with the lowness of ceilings and the prescribed character of the windows, which prevent that quantity of pure air and the light of heaven so necessary in all modern structures. Beyond these serious defects, the hotel has been wisely planned, and is convenient in all its departments.

The office is lighted by a large central space reaching to the roof, and as this is the width of the central halls on all floors, it forms a delightful lounging place on each. All rooms have windows fronting on either of the four sides, thus providing all with light and a vision of the surrounding scenery, though it must be confessed in some cases, the windows are of the character that it is necessary to squeeze close to the panes to get a glimpse. On the first and second floors doors open out upon large balconies, where the weary traveller or lazy guest may rest himself and drink in the beauties of nature within vision, or indulge in a pleasant promenade.

The hotel is provided with gas and electric fittings, and will be lighted with the latter, their being boilers, engine and dynamo in the basement for that purpose. The chief guest chambers are provided with baths. The kitchen is off the dining room for children, etc., which is between the culinary department and chief dining room. The basement is well arranged for the mechanical department, laundry, storerooms, etc., and there is no lack of modern conveniences.

At the southern and western sides of the hotel are large grounds, which will be made attractive by flowers and shrubs, while one portion will be made into a couple of tennis courts.

Altogether the hotel is on an excellent scale, and guests will be satisfied with their reception and treatment. Manager Matthews is an energetic, pleasant gentleman, who is sure to "welcome the coming and speed the parting guest," and as he has had extended experience in that prince of hotels, the Windsor at Montreal, there is little fear in prophesying that Hotel Vancouver will be admirably and economically managed, and will soon become noted among the leading hotels of the continent.

CAPITAL NOTES.

No Settlement Yet in the Behring's Sea Question—The New Governor-General will Leave for Canada on the 31st—Parliament will Prorogue on Tuesday Next.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

OTTAWA, May 17.—Hon. Mr. Foster being asked to-night whether, as rumored, a settlement had been arrived at in regard to the Behring's Sea dispute, said that negotiations were still pending and a settlement had not yet been reached, but he had every reason to believe that there would be something definite before long.

Lord Stanley of Preston sails for Canada on the 31st instant.

Parliament is making steady progress. The commons will probably finish on Saturday night and will prorogue on Tuesday next. The government has decided to drop two or three measures, including the copyright bill.

SALMON CANNERS ASSIGN.

This Action Made Necessary from Connection with Coleman & Co.

ASTORIA, May 15.—The Columbia canning company and the Thistle packing company made assignments to C. W. Fulton this afternoon. This course was rendered necessary by the fact of financial connection with Wm. T. Coleman & Co., it being desired to have a business settlement. The Columbia cannery is in active operation, has an excellent prospect of making money this season, and will undoubtedly continue packing through the season. The Thistle packing company's premises have lain idle this season. The Coleman flag packing company's plant went mostly to Alaska. These with the Aberdeen packing company, which is also in excellent shape for profitable business, comprise all the canneries that Wm. T. Coleman & Co. were connected with on the lower Columbia this season.

THE DOMINION ALLIANCE.

The annual meeting of the British Columbia branch of the Dominion Alliance was held in the Y. M. C. A. hall yesterday afternoon, the Rev. D. Fraser, of Victoria, president, in the chair, and representatives from the various sections of the province and a number of temperance organizations being present.

After the regular business had been disposed of, a number of resolutions were passed, among them being one expressing the regret of the convention at the attitude of the members of the legislative assembly of the province towards temperance legislation, and conveying its thanks to those who voted in favor of the measures introduced furthering the cause of temperance. It was also resolved to secure the services of a first-class lecturer, thoroughly acquainted with the history of the temperance cause in Canada, to educate the people of this province in that direction.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Rev. D. Fraser, president; Rev. E. Robson, vice-president; 1st vice-president, Mr. Noah Shakespeare, ex-M. P.; 2nd vice, Rev. W. J. Wadman; secretary, Mr. J. Hastie; which, with a committee of fifteen, constitute the excellent board.

In the evening a public meeting was held in the Methodist hall, Water street, the Rev. E. Robson being in the chair. Interesting and powerful addresses were delivered by the Reverends D. Fraser, Dr. Reid and James Turner and the Hon. John Robson, which were listened to with great attention and appreciation by the audience, cordial votes of thanks being passed at the close to the chairman and the speakers.—*News-Advertiser.*

AMERICAN NEWS.

The Convention of Millers.

CHICAGO, May 17.—The informal session of exporting millers came to a close yesterday and an adjournment was made until June 12th, on which date a national convention will be held at Buffalo. Twenty of the leading millers of the United States participated in the conference. The work transacted was merely preliminary to that of the Buffalo convention. This convention will attempt to rectify certain abuses in the export trade. The millers complain that they are completely at the mercy of the steamship companies. President Seybl, of the National millers' association, ridicules the idea that millers are contemplating forming a trust.

A Detective Attacked---He Shoots.

OMAHA, Neb., May 17.—Last night at Plattsmouth, a Pinkerton man, employed by the Burlington road, while passing from the depot to the postoffice, was assaulted by several of the Brotherhood of Engineers. He shot Peter Rogers fatally and started to run with the crowd after him yelling "Hang him." The Pinkerton man shot again, the bullet passing through the leg of a man named Bills and wounding a man named Kane. The detective ran towards the river and escaped. Great excitement prevails at Plattsmouth.

Northern Pacific Earnings.

ST. PAUL, May 17.—The earnings of the Northern Pacific railway for the week ending May 14, were $318,181; for the same week last year 214,740, an increase of $103,441.

Dr. McGlynn Heard From.

CINCINNATI, May 17.—Dr. McGlynn was to-day elected chairman of the executive committee of the united labor party.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

A great row occurred in the chamber of deputies, Paris, yesterday, which the president could not quiet, and he then left the chair.

A despatch from London says that orders were issued on Wednesday night for new guns to be mounted on the coast defences of England and the speedy manufacture of new magazine rifles for the army.

A bill has passed the U. S. senate appropriating $500,000 for final surveys and estimates for a boat railway either in Oregon or Washington Territory, around an obstruction of the Columbia river at The Dalles and Celibo Falls.

CABLE NEWS.

Australian Chinese Restriction a Serious Question.

Nationalists Hold a Meeting and Discuss the Papal Rescript.

Father McFadden's Sentence Confirmed—The German Emperor Still Improving—The Australian Chinese Restriction Bill Passed.

To be Entertained at the "Hub."

LONDON, May 17.—Twenty-one members of the honorable artillery company, including a number of field and staff officers, sailed to-day on the Trove from Southampton for New York. They will be guests of the honorable artillery company of Boston.

The Difficult Question.

Cablegrams which have been received from China indicate that much irritation is felt at Pekin in consequence of the belief that the action taken by the Australian government in denying admittance to Chinese emigrants who have arrived at their ports, is a deliberate attempt to force Lord Salisbury's hand and compel him to negotiate a treaty with China similar to that of America, with the same country. By those competent to judge it is thought the attempt will have an opposite effort and that the arbitrary action of Australia will most certainly handicap any negotiations looking towards a treaty on the subject. It is argued that it is impossible to compel China to negotiate, but that it is more likely that England will be forced to approach China as a suppliant, or at all events that China would only make a treaty on the basis of compensation as was the case finally with America. The foreign board at Pekin complain that Australia ought to endeavor to educate rather than to raise public sentiment over the matter, and say that it would have been more judicious to have admitted the Chinese emigrants who had already arrived, and wired Hongkong and other ports notifying them of their determination to exclude further emigration. The London press, thus far, has taken little interest in the matter.

Pertinent Questions.

In the Commons to-night Col. Wm. West inquired if the government at Washington would take any action against Venezuela in order to recover outstanding claims of the Americans and also whether England intended to do anything regarding the discontent felt in British Guiana, owing to the delay in delimitating the frontiers, and if the government were prepared to state what action had been determined upon against Venezuela.

Sir Jas. Ferguson, political secretary for the foreign office, replied that the government were not aware of any discontent in British Guiana and declined to say what action would be taken in regard to boundaries.

The political secretary of the India office, Sir John Gorst, answering a request made by Professor James Stuart that the government direct the Viceroy of India to secure a repeal of the Indian contagious disease act, said that such requests did not become the government, that the viceroy had already refused the petition presented by the ladies' mission at Calcutta to extend the protection of the criminal law to young girls, on the ground that girls of sixteen were already protected.

For Benefiting the Masses.

A conference of peers and members of parliament was held to-day and a scheme discussed to form a parliamentary committee irrespective of party, to support the measures for the benefit of the masses of England.

Guildhall Refused for Defences Discussion.

The Lord Mayor of London has declined to allow Guildhall to be used to hold a meeting for the discussion of military defences. He gives as his reason for declining that he believes that the citizens feel that the agitation over this subject has already gone too far.

The Papal Rescript Considered.

The meeting which was held in Dublin to-night by the Irish Roman Catholic members of parliament for the purpose of considering in regard to the papal rescript, was a private affair and no report of it has been made public. It is pretty certain, however, from what has been learned of its result, that a respectful protest against Roman meddling in Irish politics was adopted, and a safe course marked out for the faithful to follow. The irritation that at first was felt in Ireland over the rescript has subsided. The effect of the papal document, if it had any, has been discounted by the feeling that has been agitated against it. The rescript will probably not be a very great source of annoyance to the patriotic Irishman, who also wants to be a good Catholic, as its injunctions become better known. As explained by Archbishop Walsh, it seems probable that the Catholic nationalist can reconcile many, if not all, of his former practices to a conscientious following of the church.

A Russian Attack on England.

The Russian press has suddenly burst forth in an attack upon England for her supposed alliance with the central European powers, taking for granted that England is about to adjoin an alliance, if she has not already done so. The Russian writers give utterance to the solemn warning that England will be made to pay dearly if she follows out any mistaken policy in regard to Central Asia or elsewhere, where Russia is concerned. The articles, which are of course inspired, give the strongest evidence that the Czar is irritated at the popular movement in England in favor of efficiently strengthening her defences and arming her force.

Parliament Takes a Rest.

Parliament rises to-night for the Whitsun races and does not meet until May 31st.

Social Reforms Mooted.

A conference was held this afternoon by a number of prominent persons in order to discuss social reforms and to formulate non-political action in regard to them. We will probably see the result of their deliberations soon.

The Australian Chinese Question.

Australia, especially New South Wales, is incensed at the apathy shown by the Imperial parliament over the troubles they are having with Chinese immigrants. Earnest appeals come from the Colonial government to have the matter disposed of and the mongolian influx checked.

Appeal from Increase of Sentence Dismissed

DUBLIN, May 17.—The Court of the Exchequer has dismissed Father McFadden's appeal from increased sentence, on the ground that the judge was empowered to increase sentence. Father McFadden was sentenced to three months' imprisonment under the crimes act, and on appeal from this his sentence was increased to six months.

Nationalist Meeting.

DUBLIN, May 17.—Forty nationalist members of parliament, including John Dillon and Wm. O'Brien, held a meeting at the Mansion House here to-day for nine hours. They discussed the papal rescript and a committee was appointed, including Wm. O'Brien, Timothy Sullivan and Donald Sullivan, to draw up resolutions upon the principles agreed on by the meeting. The manifesto agreed upon was substantially as follows: "Whereas the rescript has been used by the enemies of the holy see and of Irishmen, to the prejudice of the Irish cause, and mindful of our obligation to the holy see and our duty as the elected representatives of Ireland, be it resolved, that it is our belief that the allegations of the circular are unfounded, and that it could not have been promulgated if the matter had been referred to the prelates and representatives of Ireland. Be it also resolved, that the assertion that a free contract prevails with regard to the letting of land, with a few insignificant exceptions, is unfounded, and can be disproved by a course of agrarian records for eighteen years past. The manifesto further recites that the constitution of the adjudication and rent fixing courts, affords inadequate grounds for the statement made in the rescript, that they "so reduce rents as to fix them within the limits of equity," since no provision is made in case of disaster or failure of crops, as the holy see supposed; also, that no provision is made for the reduction of arrears now declared by the courts to be excessive. The manifesto further alludes to the baleful results of the "unjust, cruel and excessive" exercise of the legal powers of eviction, which is now armed with new facilities granted in 1887, and is enforced in a manner that is the cause of the evil passions, crime and conflict in Ireland. The manifesto proceeds: "We repudiate the assumption that the status of Irish farmers is that or more of tenants at will, and assert that not only in law but in equity the dominant interests of holdings belong to the tenant who has made improvements upon it, and we attribute much of the prevailing discontent to a disregard of our constant protest against the imposition of rents on improvements."

The resolutions express regret that the holy see is silent regarding the source of provocation of the evil and disorder afflicting Ireland, which is all the more deplorable because through it its enemies misuse the name of the holy see, and because the rescript's admonition was against the systematic violation of justice and charity, committed by way of attack upon the homes and property of the people. They declare the demand of the Irish people for agrarian reform and political liberty is dictated by necessity, sustained by natural justice, and which is conducted in a manner allowed by the constitution. They finally resolved that "while unreservedly acknowledging the spiritual jurisdiction of the holy see, we as the guardians of those liberties which our Catholic forefathers resolutely defended feel bound, to solemnly reassure Irishmen that Irish Catholics can recognize no right of the holy See to interfere with the Irish people in the management of their political affairs."

Col. Mapleson's Creditors.

Col. Mapleson, the opera manager, has passed the bankruptcy examinatin. It is stated his creditors are now withdrawing their claims and organizing a testimonial in his favor.

The Emperor Still Improving.

BERLIN, May 17.—The Emperor passed a good night and awoke refreshed at 10 o'clock this morning. He went driving in the park.

Warlike Preparations in Poland.

Advices from Warsaw represent Russia as in a state of ferment, owing to the warlike preparations of the military and civil powers of Poland.

Gen. Boulanger's Name on Illegal Placards.

PARIS, May 17.—An official inquiry into the origin of the illegal electoral placards which were circulated in the department of Gere prior to the election of a member for the deputies on Sunday last has been ordered. Gen. Boulanger's signature was on the placards but he denies signing them.

The Quarantined Chinese.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., May 17.—Writs of *habeas corpus* have been granted in behalf of the Chinese who are quarantined in the harbor here.

The Exclusion Bill Passed.

In the legislative assembly to-day the premier introduced the Chinese restriction bill, which received its third reading at 7 o'clock this evening with only verbal amendments. The bill operates from the 1st May and prohibits the naturalization of Chinamen. All vessels are allowed to bring one Chinaman for every three hundred, instead of every one hundred tons. It imposes restrictions in residence and trading upon the Chinese. Chinese with passports are not allowed to engage in mining without permission from the government. It does not affect Chinese who are British subjects.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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THE THREE VICTORIAS.

The Queen-Empress of Great Britain, the Empress of Germany and the Princess Victoria, daughter of the latter, appear to make common cause in that affair of the heart of which the world has been hearing so much of late. Prince Alexander, of Battenberg, and the Princess are lovers betrothed for some time, dating from the period when he was reigning at Sofia as Sovereign of Bulgaria. Since then his fortunes have changed, and as if to verify the Shakespearean maxim, that "the course of true love never does run smooth," great diplomatic obstacles have, as we all know, come between the lovers and the consummation of their wishes. Powerful Russia favors not Prince Alexander's aspirations to sovereignty, and haughty old Prince Bismarck, the dragon in the fairy tale, himself almost as potent as an empire, has given his judgment against the match, because forsooth the Bear would be offended thereby. It has become, therefore, a contest between the three Victorias and Alexander on the one side, and Bismarck and the Czar on the other. Both parties have many sympathizers, but those we have named, and more particularly the Empress of Germany and the Iron Chancellor, appear in the eyes of the world as principals at the front. Prince Alexander is represented as adding new lustre to the somewhat dilapidated name of Battenberg by his fidelity and devotion as a lover. He has for years shown to his intimate friends, we are told, a bracelet riveted on his arm as a pledge of mutual vows between himself and the Princess. With less ostentation, Victoria appears to be equally devoted and determined to wear out or surmount all obstacles. "We shall be married," the Prince has said, "for in spite of all obstacles the last word is always on the side of love." The heart of the world has been somewhat moved by the story of the royal Romeo and Juliet of the time, and it will be no fault of the three Victorias if Prince Alexander's hopeful words are not realized. But the chances are doubtful, and although from time to time inclining first to one side and then to the other, it is quite apparent that much must depend upon the result of the Emperor Frederick's illness. Should he die while these matters are pending, the most active and influential friend of the young people at court would be suddenly divested of her great power to aid them. Much graver issues depend upon the precarious life of the distinguished sufferer, but amid all these the world of sentiment will not readily lose sight of its bearing upon the fortunes of the betrothed prince and princess. It is confidently predicted that the three royal women will find a way, however powerfully opposed, to carry out their wishes. As to this, it is only safe to predict that we shall see what we shall see. Meantime the young couple may take consolation, however meagre it may be, from Colonel Lovelace's "To Althea in Prison." Though the impassioned words were written in the middle of the seventeenth century the sentiments they inculcate are quite as true in our day:

Stone walls do not a prison make,
Nor iron bars a cage;
Minds innocent and quiet take
That for an hertiage:
If I have freedom in my love
And in my soul am free,
Angels alone that soar above,
Enjoy such liberty.

Alexander, that mediæval knight of the nineteenth century, and "his high-born maiden in a palace tower" at Charlottenberg may be depended upon to prove in good time the truth of the old adage that "Love laughs at lock-smiths."

THE COST OF WAR.

A French statistician thinks that the present time, when nations are armed to the teeth, ready to engage in deadly conflict with each other, is a good time to ponder on the cost of wars during the nineteenth century. From 1800 to 1815 the war cost Italy, Prussia, Austria, Spain, Russia and England the terrific sum of 93 milliards of francs and 6,745,000 men. England alone paid 12 milliards 300 million francs on her own wars with Napoleon. In 1829 Greece purchased her freedom at the price of three milliards, and Europe sacrificed in her behalf six milliards of francs. The African wars of 1830 to 1850 cost France 235,000 men and three milliards of money. Under Napoleon III. the Crimean war cost: France, 200,000 men and two milliards of money; England, 23,000 men and five milliards of money; Piedmont, 2,000 men and 175 millions of money; Russia, 600,000 men and four milliards of money; Turkey, 35,000 men and 400 millions of money. The Russian campaign, therefore, cost Europe 889,000 men and 11 milliards 575 million francs. In 1858 the Italian war cost: France, 80,000 men and one milliard 100 million francs; Italy, 60,000 men and 150 millions; Austria, 120,000 men and 875 millions; total, 260,000 men and 2,135,000,000 francs. In the Mexican war France sacrificed 70,000 men, 500,000,000 francs. The Syrian expedition cost France 15,000 men and 125 millions of money. The Schleswig war cost: Prussia, 30,000 men and 75,000 million francs; Austria, 15,000 men amd 60 million francs; Denmark, 12,000 men and 45 million francs. The Austrian campaign in 1866 cost: Austria, 65,000 men and 995 million francs; Prussia, 45,000 men and 222 million francs. The war of Brazil with Paraguay cost the former 225,000 men, and 3 milliards 75 million francs. The great war of secession cost the United States 400,000 men and 12,200,000,000 francs. The Abyssinian war cost England 25,000 men and 245 million franc ; the Ashantee war, 27 million francs. In the Franco-German war of 1870, France lost 225,000 men and 9,288,000,000 francs; or including the two lost provinces 13,621,000,000 money; whilst the German loss is computed by Bismarck at 1,148,000,000 francs, or if one includes the loss in war material, indemnities, pensions, etc., 2 milliards. The Germans lost 300,000 men. General cost of the 1870 war, 525,000 men and 15,621,000,000 francs. The wars in the Balkans, in Egypt, in Central Asia, Tunis, Tonquin and Abyssinia have cost 300,000 men and 13 milliards money. In all, 13,083,000 men, 179,853,000,000 francs money. If we turn to the present effective strength of the European armies, we find that by virtue of the treaties binding at present Germany, Austria and Italy, these three powers would unite their forces in case of war with Russia and France. Germany could put into the field 5,941,000 men, Austria, 1,068,628, Italy, 2,596,530; in all 9,606,158 men. France and Russia together can easily muster the same number of men as the three allies; therefore, in case of an European war, no fewer than 20,000,000 men would be called under arms.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

WE really blush for journalism when one who professes to have for so many years followed it as an occupation descends so often to coarse abuse when cornered in controversy. The writer in the *Times*, failing to meet our arguments, descends to that low Billingsgate in which he revels, and of which, we may add, he is so rare a master. Calling hard names does not conceal the ignorance, nor the ill-breeding, of him who utters them. We would remind our contemporary, who has again been worsted in discussion, of Lord Beaconsfield's famous saying: "Impertinence is not wit, and invective is not argument." While quite aware that the *Times* loves to be noticed by THE COLONIST, we must decline to so honor it unless it cultivates good manners and practices ordinary fraternal courtesy. Its present conduct cannot fail to prejudice the craft generally in the eyes of that portion of the public which demands cleanliness.

The High Court of Justice in England has just rendered an interesting and important opinion touching the power of a court over the press. An application had been made to punish the defendant for contempt of court for having published a sharp criticism of the result of a trial. The High Court decided in favor of the defendant, holding that he was not subject to punishment. Justice Stephen admitted the existence of a power to punish for contempt in a flagrant case of comment published during the trial, read by the jury and maliciously designed to interfere with the course of justice. But it was, he added, a power based on "a very vague principle," and one to be used only in an exceptional case, and then "with the greatest care and caution." He then went on to explain that when a decision had been given or a verdict rendered, the case was entirely different. "The court had then done its work, the jury had reached its verdict and they were given over to criticism and comment, and of that they could not complain." In general "there was an undoubted right to make comment upon the conduct of judges or jurors." Justice Field held the same views. "It is the right of all men," he said, "to comment on the acts and conduct of public men, whether judges or jurors." This whole some doctrine is significant coming from the English Bench. The power of a judge to punish his critic is a relic of a past age in England, when there was not freedom of speech or liberty of the press. In the freer and more enlightened England of to-day the exercise of the power is condemned by the judges themselves, except where necessary to deal with a flagrant abuse.

VERY cheering indeed is the news that comes from Berlin. Our dispatches inform us that the Emperor Frederick was able to drive out in the park for an hour on Wednesday, a good sign that "Unser Fritz" is rapidly becoming convalescent. Those who have been looking on with hearts full of sympathy for Germany's ruler, and they are legion, will have heard the announcement of his continued recovery with joy and thanksgiving. The noble, Christian character of the Emperor was manifestly displayed in his commanding that the prayers for his recovery in the churches to Almighty God should be changed to "Thy servant, Frederick," a recognition on his part of the fact that, though a powerful sovereign, he was under Providence but a poor mortal whose destinies were in the hands of God. In this beautiful instance of his appreciation of his own littleness in the face of Heaven, we have the assurance of a useful and pacific reign should the terrible disease with which he is now afflicted be taken away from him. Blessed by the presence of a sweet spirit at his bedside and in his daily life, true daughter of her Queen mother, his hours of suffering have not been unrelieved by bright beams of gladness, which have cheered him in the hour of his terrible anguish. The Empress has emulated all those great characteristics which have endeared Queen Victoria to her subjects, and which have made of the throne of England an example to be followed by sovereigns and subjects, at however great a distance. The great pulse of the world beats in sympathy with the Imperial family, and hears with pleasure and delight even the faintest news of improvement in the Kaiser's condition.

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1872	$ 48,210 93	$ 516,461 95	$ 1,064,350 00	1882	$254,841 73	$1,073,577 94	5,849,889 19
1874	64,073 88	521,362 81	1,786,302 00	1884	278,379 65	1,274,397 24	6,844,404 04
1876	102,822 14	715,944 64	2,214,093 00	1886	373,500 31	1,593,027 10	9,413,358 07
1878	127,505 87	773,895 71	3,374,683 43	1887	495,831 54	1,750,004 48	10,841,751 69
1880	141,402 81	911,132 98	3,881,479 14				

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BRONCHITIS---CONSTIPATION.

The Signs and Symptoms By which These Troublesome Affections are Known.

For the successful treatment of diseases, it simply requires knowledge, and knowledge is power. Such knowledge, as acquired by close observation, deep research, long experience and exact and positive diagnosis of disease, and as indicates the proper remedies to be applied in each case, by whith means immediate relief is followed by permanent cure, has enabled the Drs. Darrin to successfully diagnose and treat the following diseases, of which the causes and symptoms are given:

BRONCHITIS.

Bronchitis is an acute or chronic irritation or inflammation of the mucous membrane of the bronchi—the air tubes of the lungs. The chief symptoms are fever, tightness or constriction of the chest, with wheezing, severe cough and expectoration, at first of a glaris mucous which sometimes becomes heavy and thick; tongue foul; there is headache, lassitude, sick, gone feeling, with a hacking, irritating cough, worse after active exercise, such as running up stairs, etc. Bronchitis is a frequent result of chronic catarrh, and is liable to run into serious lung complications, which is indicated by a change in the voice, hoarseness, and a sore, bruised feeling in and over the upper part of the chest. The weather exerts a profound influence over the symptoms of bronchitis, differing, of course, in each individual case; some persons being worse in damp, warm weather, some worse in a damp, cold or cold atmosphere, while others are still more profoundly affected by cold, dry air. Bronchitis, acute or chronic, should have the prompt attention of the sufferer, otherwise serious impairment of the general health is sure to follow. Persons suffering from bronchitis, or any form of throat disease should consult the Drs. Darrin, and they will always give candid opinions. Their terms for treatment are reasonable under all circumstances, and the large number of cases coming under their care give them such an extended experience that they absolutely cure 99 out of every 100 cases, and every one who strictly follows their directions and faithfully uses their remedies. It must be said just here that to get well of any chronic disease of a serious character, and remain cured, a man must be led to see the nature of his own case, the needs and requirements of his own constitution, and must have that force of character which compels compliance with those resolutions.

CONSTIPATION

Is both a disease and a symptom, and the direct cause of many other diseases. Unless the bowels act freely and regularly, the morbid and irritating poisons from waste and inert remainder of nourishment, being absorbed by the system, will poison the blood. The skin will become rough, sallow, and covered with pimples, blotches and discolorations. Perspiration will be scant, and the lady or gentleman will emit a foul and disgusting odor, necessitating the use of disenfecting perfumes or a resort to daily or tri-weekly bathing. The nerves will become weak and irritable, the mind confused and memory short. The central forces of life being poisoned by this effete matter that should have been eliminated, health is superseded by disease. The appetite becomes poor, ravenous or precarious—sleep is unrefreshing and is disturbed by dreams; sleepless at night and sleepy and drowsy during the day, with a tired and exhausted feeling—this is especially the case where the liver is torpid, enlarged, inflamed, and overgorged. Dyspepsia, pains, and gas in the stomach — headache and neuralgia and dull, sharp or wandering pains, or a numbness or soreness in the limbs or body often result from the same cause. Constipated people often grow fat and stout, with an overlarge belly, but they are sometimes lean and thin. Constipation is hard to cure, and is seldom cured until it develops some other disease. Every constipated person has some scheme for regulating the bowels, but they only relieve, never cure. There is just as much harm done by trying to regulate the action by dieting and injections, as by taking patent pills or the various so-called mineral waters. It is better to have the constipation relieved by correcting or removing the cause. The Drs. Darrin have a special treatment for the cure of this troublesome affliction.

OFFICE HOURS AND PLACE OF BUSINESS.

The Drs. Darrin are located at the International Hotel, Cherry street, Seattle, W.T. Consultation free. They will under no circumstances take a case that they are positive that they cannot cure or benefit. Charges are reasonable and the poor treated free from 9 to 10 a.m., Tuesdays and Saturdays.

Office hours, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; evenings, 7 to 8; Sundays 10 to 12.

They cure permanently all diseases of the genito-urinary organs, loss of desire and make a specialty of deafness and catarrh, and also treat successfully all diseases of the nose and throat, eye and ear, etc., as well as all acute and chronic diseases of whatever nature, if curable. No cases taken if not.

Most cases can receive home treatment after a visit to the doctors' office.

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(The Drs. Darrin also have a branch office at 235 Fifth street, Portland, Or., where any in that vicinity can consult them).

HOW MEN DIE.

If we know all the methods of approach adopted by an enemy we are the better enabled to ward off the danger and postpone the moment when surrender becomes inevitable. In many instances the inherent strength of the body suffices to enable it to oppose the tendency toward death. Many however have lost these forces to such an extent that there is little or no help. In other cases a little aid to the weakened Lungs will make all the difference between sudden death and many years of useful life. Upon the first symptoms of a Cough, Cold, or any trouble of the Throat or Lungs, give that old and well-known remedy—Boschee's German Syrup, a careful trial. It will prove what thousands say of it to be, the "benefactor of any home."

To Excursionists.

Canadian Pacific excursion tickets will be exchanged to return over the N. P. R. R. on application at the Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 341, Government street, next door to P. O. This enables excursionists to see Puget Sound, the celebrated "Switchback" and to visit Yellowstone Park *via* the Palace Pullman and Dining Car route. *

A Good Countenance.

Boils, Pimples, Blotches and Skin Humors disfigure the countenance. Purify the blood by using Burdock Blood Bitters to remove the impure matter which loads it, and the result will be a clear skin, good complexion and perfect health.
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HOUSE-KEEPERS should bear in mind that John Weiler has the largest stock of furniture, carpets, linoleum, wall-paper, etc., in British Columbia, at prices guaranteed as low as the lowest. ‡

Four Years of Suffering.

Mrs. Torrance McNish, of Smith's Falls, Ont., after four years' intense suffering with Scrofula, from which her head became bald, was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters, after the best medical aid had failed.
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PRESS COMMENTS.

(Columbian.)

At the hearing of this case [the Dunsmuir—*News-Advertiser* case] the chief justice, Sir M. B. Begbie, undertook to instruct the audience with a lecture on "What I know about Newspapers," and it is to be regretted that his lordship displayed a very great deal of ignorance on the subject. He quoted, with approval, the opinion of some disappointed crank who declared that American newspapers were "conducted by men of no means, scanty education, and of a vulgar turn of mind," and seems to think this a fair and honest representation of a profession which is not less honorable than the one to which his lordship himself belongs. His lordship went on to deprecate the practice of mud throwing by the press—and we must confess that there is quite an extensive field where these strictures may appropriately fall. There are not a few newspapers, even in our own province, which make mud-throwing a regular business. Look at the political editorials of the *Guardian.*, the *Times*, the *Standard* (when it has any editorial), and one must be utterly disgusted with that phase of journalism. But this reflection does not belong to the whole family of newspapers. There are some very bad judges, but it would not be fair to denounce Sir Matthew by virtue of that fact.

THE ALBERNI DELEGATE.

TO THE EDITOR:—In THE COLONIST a few weeks ago there appeared an article signed "Settler," in which he intends to settle certain misrepresentations in regard to the Alberni delegate right. That being a mistake he had not even a straw to split. But he did not stop when he had that matter righted. Was it petty spite or was it jealousy that caused him to villify Mr. Huff's name in a way that is anything but gentlemanly. I suppose he thought Mr. H. was being lionized in his exalted position, and he would set the matter right before the government had given themselves away. He makes statements in regard to Mr. Huff's want of sense; also, that he was a laughing stock to the rest of the settlers. If Mr. Huff had written anything so small and mean as the article referred to about his neighbor, I would have to admit his want of sense. I am certain from what I know of Mr. Huff that he is a perfect gentleman and as highly esteemed by his neighbors as "Settler" is. He said Mr. Huff went to look for work, as if looking for honest employment was degrading. In the *Times* he is said to look for work on the railroad, as though one branch of labor was less noble than another. Can "Settler" find no way of getting rid of his surplus gas than the one he has chosen? He seems to have forgotten that if he has lost all respect for others he ought still to have some for himself. ALBERNIAN.

Alberni, B. C., May 13, 1888.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no mistake about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind.

A Lucky Escape.

Mrs. Cyrus Kilborne, of Beamsville, Ont., had what was thought to be a cancer on her nose, and was about to submit to a cancer doctor's operation when she tried Burdock Blood Bitters, which effected a radical cure. This medicine cures all blood diseases. tu-th-sat-dw

The Cold Dip.

During the recent cold weather here I had three fingers frozen. We had some Hagyard's Yellow Oil in the house and I tried it with good results. Wm. Macklam, Montreal, P. Q. tu-th-sat-dw

VICTORIA HOUSE,

GOVERNMENT STREET.

NEW This Week!

Millinery Trimmings,
Embroidered Costumes,
Lace do.
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Embroideries,
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Linen Sets,
Children's Collars,
Ladies' Underclothing,
Lisle and Silk Hosiery,
Silk Gloves, etc., etc.

SHEARS & PAGE.

April 20, 1888. oc13-1y

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A. McKELVIE,
Mechanical Manager.
Vancouver, B. C., 8th May, 1888. my11-1m

Eureka Silver Mining Co., L'd

To JAMES F. GERALD, British Columbia:

TAKE NOTICE, that you are required to pay to the undersigned, at the office of the above named Company, 48 Langley Street, Victoria, B. C., on or before the 4th day of June next, the amount of Call No. 3, of $2 per share, levied upon you the 21st November, 1882, together with interest and costs; and that in the event of your making default, Certificate No. 32, covering 10 shares numbered 1036 to 1045, both inclusive, will be cancelled and the shares forfeited, according to law.

GEO. A. SARGISON,
Secretary.
Victoria, B. C., 2nd May, 1888. my3-15t-dw

British Columbia Stationery & Printing Company, Limited,
IN LIQUIDATION.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the above are hereby notified to pay the amounts in which they are indebted to the undersigned.

J. R. ANDERSON,
Liquidator,
Cor. Wharf and Fort Sts.
Victoria, B. C., 3rd May, 1888. my4

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AT REASONABLE PRICE.

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Intending purchasers should call at No. 22 Yates street.

ap11-2m S. L. KELLY & CO.

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COMMENCING ON MONDAY, 21st MAY, and continuing during the Summer months,
STAGES FOR CARIBOO
WILL LEAVE
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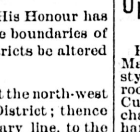

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TERMS:—$20 for the season; $25 to insure. All accidents at owner's risk.

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And an endless variety of Vases and House Decorations.

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RAGS!

WANTED.—FIVE CENTS PER POUND will be paid for CLEAN COTTON RAGS delivered in COLONIST Job Room.

NOTICES.

RESERVE—VICTORIA DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that all the unoccupied Crown land in Victoria District has been reserved from sale or pre-emption until further notice.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., April 27th, 1888. my4-1m

RESERVE—RENFREW DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the vacant Crown land which is situated within the boundaries of the tract described below has been reserved from sale or pre-emption until further notice, viz:—

Commencing at a point on the shore of the Straits of Juan de Fuca, distant one mile eastward from Point San Juan; thence in a north-easterly direction parallel to the general direction of the coast line of Port San Juan to the side hill of the valley of San Juan River; thence following the side hills of that valley six miles; thence at right angles across the valley to the opposite hill side; thence following the western side of the valley to its junction with the valley of Gordon River; thence following the hillside of that valley six miles; thence crossing the valley of the Gordon River at right angles to the opposite hillside; thence following the western side of the said valley to a point within a mile of the junction of the Gordan and San Juan Rivers; thence south-westerly parallel to the coast line to a point on the shore of the Strait of Juan de Fuca, distant one mile westerly from Owen Point; thence following the coast line to the point of commencement.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., April 30th, 1888. my4-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the notice dated the 3rd day of July, 1883, offering a bounty of two dollars and fifty cents ($2.50) per head for every wolf or panther killed in a settled district in this province has been rescinded, and that on and after the date hereof the sum of five dollars ($5.00) will be paid for every wolf or panther killed in a settled district on the certificate of a Justice of the Peace that such animal was killed in a settlement, and that the head was produced to and destroyed by him.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
2nd May, 1888. my4-1m

TAX NOTICE.

ASSESSED and Provincial Revenue Taxes for the year 1888 are due and payable at my office, Treasury, James Bay.

Real Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ½ of 1 per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ⅓ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid an or before June 30th, ½ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on or before June 30th 7½ cents per acre.

Real Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ⅝ of one per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ½ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ⅝ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on and after July 1st. 8½ cents per acre.

Provincial Revenue Tax, in each case, *per capita*, $3.00.

C. BOOTH,
Assessor and Collector.
ap8-june30

NOTICE.

SITTINGS OF THE COUNTY COURT OF Cariboo will be held:—

At Lillooet, on Wednesday, 30th May, 1888.
At Clinton, on Wednesday, 13th June, 1888.
At 150-Mile House, on Thursday, 28th June, 1888.
At Soda Creek, on Saturday, 30th June, 1888.
At Quesnellemouth, on Tuesday, 3rd July, 1888.
At Richfield, on Friday, 6th July, 1888.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
16th April, 1888. ap20-td

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1888.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria............Monday....21st May.
Nanaimo............Tuesday....5th June.

[*On Mainland.*]

New Westminster.Wednesday.2nd May.
Kamloops...........Monday ...4th June.
Clinton.............Monday ....11th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[*On Mainland.*]

Richfield...........Monday ....10th September.
Clinton ....Wednesday.26th September.
Kamloops...........Monday ....1st October.
Lytton ....Monday ....8th October.
New Westminster.Wednesday.14th November.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria............Monday ....26th November.
Nanaimo............Tuesday ....4th December.
ap27-1mo

NOTICE.

To Claimants of Land, in New Westminster District, which was formerly Reserved under the Provisions of the "Sumas Dyking Act, 1878."

NOTICE is hereby given that a Commissioner will visit Chilliwhack about the first week in June for the purpose of holding inquiries and taking evidence in all cases of disputed claims to lands. Persons who are interested are hereby notified to be prepared with their evidence at the time mentioned.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 10th May, 1888. my11-3w

Lands in New Westminster District.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve which covers the lands in New Westminster District that are situated to the west of the North Road, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette, and dated 7th August, 1884, has been cancelled for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of section 3 of "An Act to amend the Land Act, 1884," Chapter 16 of 1888, and for the purpose of sale in parcels, lots or blocks, at public auction, and for no other purpose.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., May 10th, 1888. my11-2w

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
8th May, 1888.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1885," to create School Districts, in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts: it is hereby notified that His Honour has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Victoria West School District," viz.:—

Commencing at the junction of the Gorge Bridge Road with the Craigflower Road; thence in a direct line south to the sea-shore; thence easterly and northerly, following the sea-shore and coast line of Victoria Harbour and Arm, to the Gorge Bridge; thence southerly along the Gorge Road to the point of commencement.

It is also hereby notified that His Honour has been pleased to direct that the boundaries of the undermentioned School Districts be altered and re-defined, as follows:—

Victoria City:—Commencing at the north-west corner of Section 5, Victoria District; thence east, along the northern boundary line, to the north-east corner of said Section; thence in a direct line south-easterly to the eastern extremity of the northern boundary line of Victoria City; thence due east to the western boundary line of Section 26; thence south to the central point of the western boundary line of Section 76; thence due east to the sea-shore at Oak Bay; thence southerly, westerly, and northerly, following the sea-shore and coast lines of Victoria Harbour and Arm, to the point of commencement.

Esquimalt: Commencing at the south-west corner of Section 26; thence easterly in a direct line to the south-west corner of Section 10; thence easterly along the southern boundary of said Section to the western boundary of Victoria West School District; thence south in a direct line to the sea-shore; thence westerly, northerly and easterly, following the shore lines of Juan de Fuca Strait and Esquimalt Harbour, to the point of commencement.

Craigflower:—Commencing at the south-west corner of Section 10, Victoria District; thence northerly along the western boundary of said Section to the Burnside Road; thence westerly along said road to the Colquitz River; thence up said River to the north-east corner of Section 1, Lake District; thence west to the north-west corner of said Section: thence in a direct line north-west to the north-east corner of Section 116; thence due west to the north-west corner of said Section; thence in a direct line south to the northern boundary line of Esquimalt District; thence west to the north-east corner of Section 98 of said District; thence along the eastern boundary line of said Section to Parson's Bridge; thence south-easterly along the water line of Esquimalt Harbour to the south-west corner of Section 26; thence in a direct line to the south-west corner of Section 10; thence easterly along the southern boundary of said Section to the western boundary of Victoria West School District; thence north along the western boundary of said School District to the Gorge; thence crossing the Gorge and following the shore line south-easterly to the point of commencement.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
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CHAS. GREEN,
Proprietor.
ap18-6m

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TIME TABLE No. 7,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Wednesday, April 25th, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
De 8.20 A.M	De 3.32 P.M	VICTORIA	Ar 1.04 P.M	Ar 7.00 P.M
" 8.21	" 3.36	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	" 1.00	" 6.56
" 8.34	" 3.46	ESQUIMALT	" 12.50	" 6.46
" 9.01	" 4.11	GOLDSTREAM	" 12.23 P.M	" 6.21
" 9.56	" 5.06	SHAWNIGAN L'E	" 11.28	" 5.26
" 10.08	" 5.16	COBBLE HILL	" 11.16	" 5.16
" 10.25	" 5.31	McPHERSON'S	" 10.59	" 5.01
" 10.37	" 5.41	KOKSILAH	" 10.47	" 4.51
" 10.42	" 5.46	DUNCAN'S	" 10.42	" 4.46
" 10.52	" 5.56	SOMENOS	" 10.32	" 4.36
" 11.18	" 6.18	CHEMAINUS	" 10.06	" 4.14
Ar 12.20 P.M / De 12.29	" 7.16	NANAIMO	De 9.04 / Ar 8.55	" 3.16
Ar 12.41	Ar 7.31	WELLINGTON	De 8.40 A.M	De 3.01

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Esquimalt AND Nanaimo Railway Company

LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province":

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the Requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
President.
JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.
Victoria, B.C., July 25th, 1887.
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the crowd following and fired his revolver at a laborer named Thompson, wounding him in the hip. Kennedy, also a workman, attempted to interfere, when Sweeney shot and killed him, the bullet taking effect in his heart. Both shots were fired at the command of young Lloyd. Sweeney was set upon by the mob, but escaped from them. The police pursued and arrested him. They had real difficulty in preventing him from being lynched.

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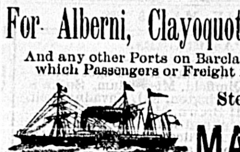

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13th December, 1886. de14

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SWING BRIDGE.

Captains of Tugs or Steamers are hereby given notice that FOUR sharp whistles are required as a signal for opening the E. & N. Railway SWING BRIDGE across Victoria Harbor. apr4

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Ar Pt. Towns'd	2.00 p.m	Ar Seattle	- 12.15 p.m
Lv Pt. Towns'd	2.30 p.m	Lv Seattle	- 3.30 p.m
Ar Victoria	- 5.30 p.m	Ar Tacoma	a 5.30 p.m

STEAMERS
Olympian, Alaskan or Emma Hayward
Between TACOMA & SEATTLE, as follows:

TO SEATTLE. (Daily.)
Leave Tacoma..... a 8.30, 10 a.m., and 6.45 p.m.
Arrive Seattle..... 10.30 a.m., 12.15 and 9.00 p.m.

FROM SEATTLE. (Daily.)
Leave Seattle...... 3.00 a.m., 1.00 and 3.30 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma.... b5.15 a.m., 3.15 and 5.30 p.m.

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Time Table No. 9, Takes Effect Nov'r 1st, 1887

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VANCOUVER TO VICTORIA,
Daily, except Monday, at 13:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. train.

NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE.
LEAVE VICTORIA—

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, LADNER'S LANDING AND LULU ISLAND,
Tuesday at 9 o'clock; Thursday and Sunday at 7 o clock.

PLUMPER PASS,
Sunday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER FOR VICTORIA,
Monday at 13 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

FOR PLUMPER PASS,
Monday, at 13 o'clock.

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

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The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

G. A. CARLETON, Gen. Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.
March 17th. jy25

REMOVAL.
D. SIMPSON, TAILOR,

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The Colonist.

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1888.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. GEO. E. STARR from Puget Sound—Mr Hind, Miss Qimfield, Miss Blum, Sulkalle, Davidson, E T Sumington, H L Novadny, Leitlsky and lady, J H Brown, Miss May, J Borry, J Montgomery, Paint and wife, T J Milner, R S Bader and son, H A Wilcox, A R Coleman, C E Murphy, J G Crane, Maecuse.

Per Steamer YOSEMITE from Westminster.—Geo Pullinger, G F Savage, W J Sutton, W Stanley, R W Jackson, Sol Oppenheimer, Miss Jessie Moore, Miss Black, R Collister, H Rogers, Miss Vidler, J Huntley, Mrs. Huntley, Geo. Donilon, W Mann, Rev Percival, A R Richards, W G Bonner, W Mell, A Meyer, D McNaughten, W H O'Neil, Jas Cornish, Rev Mr. Jennings, J B Stevenson, M. W. Cole, D W Higgins, W T Cusack, Mrs Oppenheimer, Simon Leiser, W Langley, W R Roberts, Rev J Mountain, C J Hopkins, J Kutley, S Caid, T F Flannagan, J Langley, A Stevens, Geo Hamilton, Miss Carrie Curry, Miss Alice Curry, W Hall, J L McQuam, Thos Black, Dan Wilson, Isaac Patie, J Johnston.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. GEO. E. STARR from Puget Sound—S J Pitts, E G Prior, W Eckert, J Canfield, Royal C P Mills, Thompson and B, Jno Parker, Steitz Bros, A Boeder, T J Trapp, A R Johnson, Moore and Co, Victoria and Esquimalt Tel Co, C Strouss and Co, Robt Ward and Co, W J Jeffree and Co, R T Williams, H Saunders, J Sears, Turner, Beeton and Co, Spratt and Gray, Welch, Rithet and Co, Johnson, Walker and Flett, J Weiler, N Snegerts and Co.

MARRIED.

ROGERS—MORRISON.—In this city, on the 16th inst., at the residence of Rev. Mr. McLeod, C. W. Rogers to Miss L. Morrison, both of Victoria.

BOOTH-PIERRE.—In this City on the 16th inst., by the Rev. Bishop Cridge, at the residence of the bride's parents, Pioneer Street, Andrew S. Booth to Louisa A., second daughter of Mr. T. W. Pierre, all of Victoria.

DEATH.

COLBERT.—In this city, on the 16th instant, Manuella Mary, aged two years and nine months, the beloved daughter of John and Kate Colbert.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY (Friday), at 2:30 o'clock, from her parent's residence, Princess Avenue.

Twenty-Fourth May Regatta.

The steam tugs Lottie and Spitfire, with two large barges, will leave Johnson street wharf, foot of ferry landing, every half hour for the Gorge. Fare each way, 25 cents. *1w

B. H. BURGESS & Co. are now prepared to accommodate patrons with Ice Cream, Soda Waters, Lemonade, etc., at their parlors, *Standard* building. 3m *

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Ladies who wear Black from choice wil always find the most varied selection at the CITY HOUSE. *

Seven More

Cases of fine boots and shoes arrived this day at Geo. H. Maynard's, Government street. *

Old Shoes

Made as good as new, and better too, by Irving Bros., Crosson's old stand, Yates Street.

Removal.

Messrs. Jno. Barnsley & Co. have removed next to L. Goodacre's market, Government street, where will be found the largest and best assorted stock of Guns, Ammunition and Fishing Tackle in the province. †

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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There have been many remarkable cures of deafness made by the use of Hagyard's Yellow Oil, the great household remedy for all Pain, Inflammation and Soreness. Yellow Oil cures Rheumatism, Sore Throat and Croup, and is used internally and externally for all pains and injuries.
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CALL and see Fisher & Wilson, architects, before ordering plans. *

Premier Norquay has moved that a Royal Commission be appointed to inquire into the charges against him. The government moved in amendment that La Riviere and Burrows' actions be inquired into at the same time. Norquay opposed this.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Jubilee Hospital.

At a meeting of the building committee held yesterday, Mr. Teague, the architect, was instructed to proceed at once with his plans and specifications and call for tenders.

The Temperance Picnic.

The united temperance organizations, who intend holding a grand picnic at Langford Plains on the 24th, have issued a poster containing a very attractive programme of sports and substantial prizes for competition.

Contracts Let.

The contracts for Mr. J. D. Pemberton's new brick block have been let to the following tenderers: M. Humber, brick work; John Braden, plumbing; McKillican & Anderson, carpentering; R. Lettice, painting; Albion Iron Works, iron pillars; G. Petherick, plastering; Stevens & Cooley, galvanized roofing. Work will be prosecuted vigorously.

Weekly Colonist.

The WEEKLY COLONIST, issued this morning, is a fine number. It contains cable, telegraphic, local and general news and is the finest publication in British Columbia to send to friends abroad, who wish to get an idea of the doings in the Pacific province. Two dollars per annum: single copies ready for mailing, ten cents.

Ferguson & Co.

As will be seen by reference to another column, business at the premises of the late B. C. Stationery and Printing Company will be resumed on Saturday next by Messrs. Ferguson & Co. The new firm intend clearing out the entire stock inside of ninety days and with that end in view intend making sweeping reductions on everything.

Paine-Peterson.

A meeting of Paine and Peterson's backers was held last evening when it was decided to hold the race on June 23rd, at Shawnigan Lake, between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock. Another letter was presented from Brown Bros., offering great inducements to have the race rowed on Harrison Lake, but that is now out of the question as Peterson has made his choice.

The Paine-Ball Race.

To-morrow the long looked for race between Wm. Paine and Chas. Ball will be rowed at Shawnigan Lake. The competition will be a keen one, and no doubt the race will be witnessed by thousands of spectators. The Island railway run excursions at the round trip rate of $1.50, and besides the attraction of the race a pleasant holiday can be held amid the beauties of Shawnigan lake.

Island Mountain Mine.

Work on this property has been continued during the past winter, seven men being employed in taking out ore in No. 1 tunnel. It is estimated that fully four thousand tons of ore are on the dump, which, when treated, will give good returns. It is hoped that work will shortly be begun in this direction. Once Island Mountain mine is proved to be a good paying property the prosperity of the district will be assured.

A Terrific Explosion.

Word has been received from San Francisco to the effect that 3,000 pounds of dynamite, the property of the California powder works company at Pinole, Contra Costa county, Cal., exploded on the 8th instant. The damage sustained was great and it is estimated that $20,000 will scarcely cover the loss. The matter was kept very quiet by the company and several days expired before the San Francisco dailies heard anything about it.

The Sound Mail Service.

Complaints are frequent in regard to the manner in which the postal service between here and Portland is performed. Letters frequently take four or six days to reach Portland, and those for the Sound cities very often are erratic in their movements. Other postal matter has taken two or three days to reach Port Townsend from this city. An improvement in the present service would be appreciated.

Columbia Lake.

The steamer Marion made a successful trip to within a few miles of Columbia Lake, and returned to Golden last week. The water is getting higher every day and she will be likely to make Windermere this week. Freight for the Kootenay district is going in in large quantities from the east and west and will be in amount not less than last year. Last season moving the outfit of the company of the N. W. M. Police from Donald to Wild Horse, added much to the freight account of the Duchess and Cline, but this year the extra supplies ordered by settlers, miners, ranchers and merchants will more than counterbalance the freighting done for the government.

Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern.

On Wednesday the contract for the construction of the main line of the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern railway connecting Seattle, on Puget Sound, with Spokane Falls, in Eastern Washington, was let to the millionaire contracting firm of Ryan & McDonald, of New York. The mileage embraced in this contract is about 225 miles, and extends from a point a few miles east of the Gilman mines, in Squak valley, *via* the Snoqualmie Pass, to connect with the fifty-mile section of the road which is now being built west from the Falls. The cost of this section is about $5,000,000, and the road must be completed so that trains can run between Seattle and Spokane Falls within two years from the 17th day of May, 1888.

Rogers-Morrison.

On Wednesday evening was celebrated the marriage of Mr. C. W. Rogers, fruit dealer, Government street, to Miss Leah Morrison, of James Bay. The wedding took place at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. P. McF. McLeod, after which the bridal party adjourned to the residence of the bride's mother, where a pleasant evening was passed. The happy couple were the recipient of handsome wedding presents and many congratulations from friends. Mr. Rogers is a worthy, energetic young man, who has established himself in a lucrative business from a small beginning. The bride is an estimable young lady, for many years a resident of Victoria, and with many others THE COLONIST wishes Mr. and Mrs. Rogers a long life and prosperity and happiness.

A Change of Route.

Messrs. Veith & Borland of the 150-Mile House, Cariboo, the other day started a pack train for the Skeena river, for the purpose of packing the H. B. Co.'s goods from Hazelton, at the forks of the Skeena to the Babine portage. Hitherto all goods have been taken over the mountains from Hazelton on the backs of Indians, who found it a profitable business, goods costing ten cents at Victoria being worth on arrival at their destination between thirty and forty cents per pound. It is thought that the aborigines will become hostile on the infringement of what they now consider their exclusive business. The H. B. Co. formerly sent in these goods from the mouth of the Quesnelle river, Cariboo, the pack trains following the old telegraph trail to Fort Fraser, skirting Stewart Lake, and thus reaching the interior posts and mining camps of the Omineca and Peace rivers.

Lady Audley's Secret.

This great society drama will be produced next Monday at the Club Theatre. Mr. Holmes Grover and Miss May De Lorme, California's most favorite dramatic stars will make their first appearance. Wherever these two artists have appeared both press and public have been unanimous in their praise; they are artists of undoubted merit. Besides these two legitimate stars, several new vaudeville artists will make their first appearance. *

Booth-Pierre.

On Wednesday evening last Louisa A., second daughter of Mr. T. W. Pierre, merchant, Yates street, was united in marriage to Andrew S. Booth by the Rev. Bishop Cridge. The ceremony was celebrated at the residence of the bride's parents, Pioneer street, and was attended by the numerous friends of the high contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Booth are well known in this city, and were the recipients of numerous and elegant wedding gifts.

Jack Hemmen's Suicide.

The provincial authorities were notified yesterday morning that the body of J. Hemmens had been discovered on the west side of Saanich Arm with his throat cut. The deceased came from England in 1867 to superintend the erection of St. John's church, and is said to be well connected in the old country. He was a hard drinker and for several years has been living among the Indians. It is supposed he suicided during a fit of depression. The police have taken charge of the body.

LATER.—Officer Miller, who went out to secure the body, returned at midnight, unable to discover it. It is stated that it was on San Juan island where the body was seen.

Children's Quaint Sayings.

The following bright thoughts of the little folks are from the *North Star*, published at Sitka, Alaska, by the Moravian missionaries:

Some of the boys of the Sitka school suspected one of their number of informing the teachers of their pranks. Getting into a quarrel and desiring to accuse him of being a tale-bearer one of them called out "You are a telegraph."

In the early morning large flocks of sea gulls frequent the bay in front of the Sitka Mission fishing for breakfast. One day but few of them were visible. Little 8-year-old Bessie, who watched them with much interest, noticing their absence, remarked to her teacher, "I think they are not dressed yet, ready for breakfast."

MINING ON THE HORSEFLY.

Fine Prospects Secured in the Old Channel—A Promising Placer Field.

Mr. P. C. Dunlevy, of Soda Creek, who arrived down on Wednesday night, recently visited the Horsefly mines, in which he is interested. Half-a-dozen companies are running in tunnels on the bench about eighty feet above the present river bed.

The McCullum Co. ran their tunnel about 160 feet, passing the rim rock at 125 feet, and then ran along on the bedrock until they reached a point where it dipped. Out of the gravel taken from the tunnel $1,800 was washed. The prospect would average from $10 to $25 per day to the man. The company having prospected their ground by drifting are now at work hydraulicing over the tunnel, as it is considered cheaper to wash off the gravel than to drift.

The other companies are still working on their tunnels, endeavoring to reach the old channel bed, which there is every reason to believe exists at the point where the McCullum company struck pay.

Six miles further up the river Mr. Thaddeus Harper has a force of about seventy men at work erecting sawmill, pumps and other machinery. A very substantial wing-dam has been built, which it is expected will be able to withstand all stages of the water. It is the intention to work the bed of the river, and Mr. Harper hopes to take out bushels of the golden nuggets.

In the opinion of Mr. Dunlevy, the Horsefly mines are the most promising placer diggings which have been struck in many years, and he believes they will become a rich camp.

PERSONAL.

Artemus Davison, of Chilliwhack, is in the city.

Ben. Young left for San Francisco this morning.

S. Leiser returned from the Mainland last night.

D. W. Higgins, M. P. P., arrived down last night on the Yosemite.

W. L. Cusack, representative of S. J. Pitts, arrived last night on the Yosemite.

Mrs. Bushby will be a passenger on the Umatilla to-morrow for San Francisco.

Hon. J. H. Turner and Mrs. Turner will leave for San Francisco on the Umatilla to-morrow.

Geo. C. Shaw, of the firm of Cowan & Shaw, left for the upper country this morning. He will be absent a month.

D. M. Eberts has been appointed an official member of the Royal Hospital directorate, *vice* T. Lubbe, resigned.

Misses Carrie and Alice Currie arrived last night from Fredericton, N. B., *en route* for Nanaimo to join relatives there.

Mrs. D. Oppenheimer and S. Oppenheimer arrived from Vancouver last night.

The wife and family of Capt. O'Brien, commander of the Premier, have arrived in Vancouver, and will reside in the house formerly occupied by Capt. Webber.

Among the arrivals from Vancouver last evening were Mr. and Mrs. J. Huntley, who registered at the Oriental. They were married yesterday morning in the terminal city. The bride is a daughter of Postmaster Miller, and the widow of the late Capt. Trimble. Congratulations.

Geo. S. List, of Toronto, arrived on Wednesday night, having been appointed route agent of the Dominion Express Co., with headquarters at Vancouver. His district extends from Victoria to Medicine Hat. Mr. List has been in the service in Toronto since a boy, and his promotion to a responsible position on this coast is thoroughly deserved.

MARINE.

Ship Rena sailed from San Francisco for Nanaimo on Tuesday.

Steam collier Wellington will be due at Departure Bay to-morrow from San Francisco.

Steamer Umatilla will leave the outer wharf for San Francisco to-morrow at one o'clock p. m.

The steamer Maude will leave for Alberni on the 22nd inst., carrying the mails and passengers.

Steamer Mexico, Capt. Huntington, will sail from San Francisco for this port to-day at 9 o'clock a. m.

Steam collier Southern California and the steam schooner Jennie passed up to Departure Bay yesterday from San Francisco.

Steamer Amelia has been launched from the Star Ship Yard ways, and is at Spratt's wharf receiving a thorough overhauling.

Ben. Young's steamer, Maria J. Haven, 48 hours from Astoria, arrived yesterday morning and will leave to-morrow for Southern Alaska, where she will be engaged as tender for Mr. Young's cannery in that locality.

In the legislature Martin gave notice that he would move that auditor Nursey be discharged.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The steamer Muriel is advertised to sail for Alberni on the 21st inst.

There were ten deaths in Victoria during the month of April.

The beautiful family residence, No. 15, North Park street, is offered for sale.

The steamer R. P. Rithet reached Westminster at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Paine and Ball were in town yesterday. They return to Shawnigan Lake this morning.

The electric light was not turned on at one o'clock this morning, though inky blackness prevailed.

Fisher & Wilson, architects, are calling for tenders for the erection of a frame dwelling at Quamichan.

George Cicero, a well-known pioneer, was taken to the Royal Hospital yesterday dangerously ill.

The case against Charles Morrow, charged with inciting an Indian to shoot Capt. McCallum, was dismissed.

The funeral of the late Manuella Mary Colbert will take place from the parents residence to-day at 2 o'clock p. m.

S. Nesbitt contemplates the increasing of his premises and the addition of modern appliances in his biscuit factory.

The old Oriental saloon will be on the move to day. It is sound in every respect, though having been built for many years.

Ah Sing was charged in the police court with placing an obstruction on the sidewalk and was fined $5. Ah Fook was again remanded.

The last sad rites were performed yesterday afternoon over the remains of Mr. and Mrs. F. Carne's little daughter. The funeral was attended by a large number of friends.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will give an entertainment on Monday evening next, of which due notice will be given Sunday morning. Reserve the evening for a treat of no ordinary kind.

As there seems to be no move on the part of the council to provide further funds for watering the streets, would it not be wise for Government, Yates, Fort, Johnson and Wharf street merchants to raise a sufficient sum monthly to water those streets, so that goods will not be destroyed by dust as at present.

Natural gas has been discovered at Collingwood at a depth of 130 feet.

William Messander, farmer, suicided at Arkona by hanging.

The license commissioners have refused to grant a license to the Grand Union, the second largest hotel in Ottawa. The only reason assigned is that John Graham, the proprietor, is a conservative and the three commissioners are grits.

Lizzie King, Hamilton, aged 4, drank carbolic acid carelessly left on the table. She was terribly burned and is not likely to recover.

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NOTICE.

SPECIAL TRAINS LEAVING WELLINGTON for Victoria at 7:32 a.m., and Victoria for Shawnigan Lake at 12:50 p.m., on 19th inst., take place of Regular No. 1 South and Regular No. 4 North, which are cancelled between above points on that date. my13

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALEXander Hendry is no longer in the employ of the Victoria Water Works.
By order,
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Hall, 2nd May, 1888. City Clerk.
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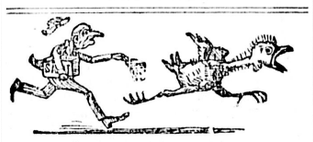
DRY GOODS.



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Boy's Denim Blouses	25	each.
Men's Reinforced White Shirts	75	"
Men's Stiff Hats reduced from $1.25	75	"
" " " " $1 75	1.00	"
Boys' " " " $2.50	1.00	"
" Flannel Shirts	1.00	"
Men's " " "	1.25	"
Men's Serge Suits	6.50	"
" Blue Flannel Suits $8.50 &	12.00	"
" Grey Homespun Suits	7.00	"
" Summer Coats $1.50 &	1.75	"

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
16th May, 1888.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment:—

D. MACEWEN EBERTS, Esquire, to be an official member of the Board of Directors of the Royal Hospital, Victoria, *vice* T Lubbe, Esquire, resigned. my17-1t

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
16th May, 1888.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1885," to create School Districts, in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that His Honor has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of "Rocky Point School District," viz.:—

Commencing at the south-east corner of section 33, Metchosin district; thence north-westerly along the southern boundary line of sections 33, 24, and 25 to the south-west corner of section 25; thence southerly along the western boundary lines of sections 27 and 29 to the north-west corner of section 30; thence westerly along the northern boundary of section 43 to the eastern boundary of Sooke district; thence southerly following the eastern boundary of said district to the sea-shore; thence easterly along the shore line to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honor has been pleased to direct that the boundaries of Metchosin School District be altered and re-defined, as follows:—

Commencing at the south-east corner of section 33, Metchosin district; thence north-westerly along the southern boundary lines of sections 33, 24, and 25 to the south-west corner of section 25; thence southerly along the western boundaries of sections 27 and 29 to the north-west corner of section 30; thence westerly along the northern boundary of section 43 to the eastern boundary of Sooke district; thence northerly along the boundary lines of Sooke and Metchosin district to the south-west corner of section 90, Esquimalt district; thence southerly to the north-west corner of section 90, Metchosin district; thence in a south-easterly direction to the south-east corner of section 51, being on the sea-shore; thence southerly, following the shore line, to the point of commencement.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
my18-1w Provincial Secretary.

[L.S.] HUGH NELSON.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, etc., etc., etc.

To all to whom these Presents shall come.—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

P. E. IRVING, *Deputy Attorney-General.* } KNOW YE, that the Acts of the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, hereinafter mentioned, have been disallowed by His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council.

Year and Chap	Title.	Date of disallowance.	Date of communication by Secretary of State of disallowance
1885, ch. 9	An Act to amend the "Simms Dyking Act."	March 16, '86	May 31st, '86.
1885, ch. 13	An Act to prevent the immigration of Chinese	March 16, '86	May 31st, '86.
1885, ch. 16	An Act to amend the "Land Act, 1884."	March 16, '86	May 31st, '86.
1887, ch. 7	An Act to establish a Court of Appeal from the summary decisions of Magistrates.	April 19, '88	April 23d, '88.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed; WITNESS, the Honorable HUGH NELSON, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this tenth day of May, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and in the fifty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

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Taffeta Silk Gloves, long, 50c. a pair.
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NOTICE!
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned, for the purchase of the land known as Section 111., Comox District, containing 99 acres, more or less. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN.
Victoria, B. C., 2nd May, 1888. my3-1m

TENDERS.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BEFORE 4 p. m. on Wednesday the 23rd inst., at my office, (where plans and specifications may be seen between the hours of 2 and 4) for an extension of the City Hall Buildings. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
L. BUTTRESS TRIMEN,
15th May, 1888. my16-1w Architect.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the undersigned, up to 12 noon of Wednesday, 23rd May, for the erection of a Frame Dwelling at Quamichan. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
FISHER & WILSON,
my17 Architects.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.
THE UNDERSIGNED WILL RECEIVE Tenders up to noon on Monday, 21st, for additions to and completing the Oriental Hotel, Yates Street, W. McKeon & Son, Proprietors. Lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.
JNO. TEAGUE,
my15 Architect.

THE MATSQUI LAND CO.,
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TENDERS FOR THE REPAIR AND RE-construction of the Matsqui Dyke will be received up to noon on Monday, 28th May, 1888, at the office of the undersigned, where plans and specifications may be seen.
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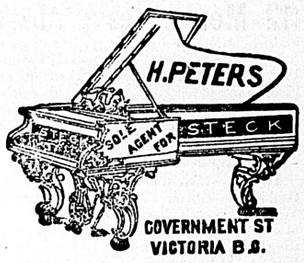

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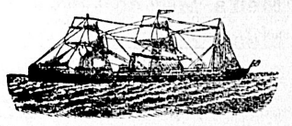

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